

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, there are over 134,497 permit and first-year inexperienced teen drivers in South Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the safety of teens, their passengers, and other motorists depends on the awareness, caution, and courtesy of all South Carolina drivers; and

WHEREAS, many dedicated organizations, community leaders, government agencies, and concerned individuals are working hard to improve roadway safety through the promotion of safer driver behaviors; and

WHEREAS, the Celebrate My Drive teen driver awareness safety campaign encourages all new teen drivers to celebrate their newly acquired licenses and driving privileges as well as use caution, courtesy, and patience when driving; and

WHEREAS, Celebrate My Drive Day provides an opportunity for the community to support teens everywhere as they learn to drive and prepare for the road ahead.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Nikki R. Haley, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim September 15, 2012, as

CELEBRATE MY DRIVE DAY

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to focus on driving more safely and attentively.



Handwritten signature of Nikki R. Haley in black ink.

NIKKI R. HALEY
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA